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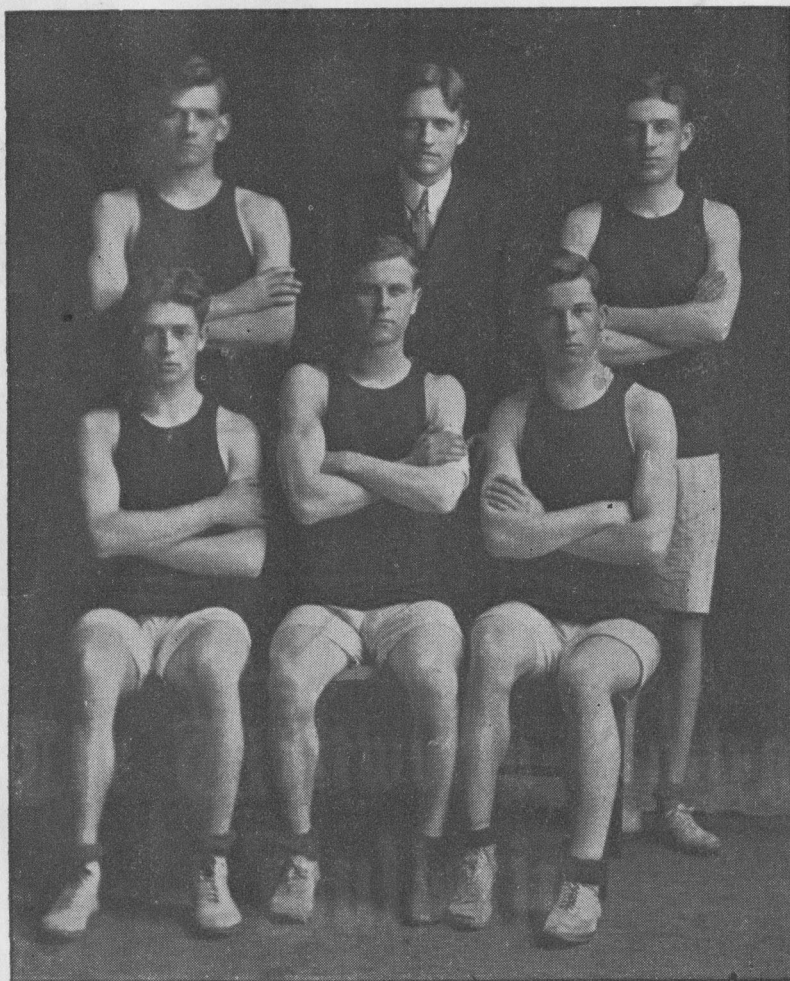
# The Whitworth College Bulletin

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Whitworth's Basket-ball Team

THE TRUE TEST OF OUR CIVILIZATION AND NATIONAL  
GREATNESS IS NOT THE CENSUS, BUT THE KIND  
OF CITIZEN THE COUNTRY PRODUCES.

*Lyons*  
Standing Williams Randall  
Lower Row. Fitzsimmons, P. Hoke, S. Hoke

Dr. Kerr, president of Westminster College, Missouri, accepts the presidency of Whitworth on conditions.

In a communication from Dr. Kerr, to whom the presidency of Whitworth was recently offered, he states that he will accept the same, provided the first \$100,000 endowment is secured. At this writing we have no doubt that the above amount will be raised, hence it is expected that Dr. Kerr will assume the presidency within a reasonably short time. Dr. Kerr is a man of fine scholarship and wide college experience.

#### \$100,000 ENDOWMENT NEARING COMPLETION

The \$100,000 endowment is nearing completion, \$90,000 being already subscribed.

It is believed that the balance will be secured before the meeting of General Assembly in May. Rev. T. D. Acheson, Financial Secretary, is now closing his campaign in Tacoma and will then take up the work in the Eastern part of the state. He'll return with the "goods."

#### KARL E. TUNBERG HEADS THE PIANO DEPARTMENT

Mr. Tunberg who comes to Whitworth as head of the Piano department, studied in Berlin with Franz Kullah, one of the greatest living pedagogues who says of him:

"Mr. Tunberg's great natural technical ability and his refined musical taste make his playing not only a display of

virtuosity, but he is thoroughly artistic in his interpretation as well."

Having studied music all his life with the best American teachers and later, four years in Berlin with the very best that that music center affords, makes his work of an exceptionally high order. In securing the services of Mr. Tunberg Whitworth gives assurance to her patrons that she means to hold first rank as a school of music.

#### WHITWORTH COLLEGE WINS HONORS ABROAD

Mr. F. D. Metzger, Whitworth student at Oxford, carried off first honors in school jurisprudence in that institution. Word also comes to us from Cornell and other Eastern institutions where Whitworth students are pursuing special courses, that they are making fine records for themselves and their Alma Mater.

The Boards of Education of the states of Idaho and Washington will honor Whitworth College Diplomas and issue teacher's certificates to all holders of such diplomas.

#### LADIES' AUXILIARY

*Aid in Establishing the New Department of Domestic Science and Domestic Art.*

The work which the Ladies Auxiliary is doing is worthy of more than a passing notice. Not only have they comfortably furnished the parlors for the young men in Erwin Hall and supplied table linen for the dining room, but are now busy executing plans for

the entire equipment of an up-to-date Domestic Science and Domestic Art department.

It is proposed to have this new department opened next fall with all the necessary apparatus installed and a competent instructor in charge.

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### WHITWORTH COLLEGE FEDERATION

This is a new organization that augurs well for Whitworth.

The federation is composed not only of Alumni but includes as well students who have spent one year or more in regular work at the College.

This new organization is already at work interesting friends in everything that tends to increase the efficiency and widen the influence of the college. We are expecting much from this band of enthusiastic Whitworthians.

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The subject for the Long-Black prize essay contest has been announced. It is "Direct Legislation," certainly a question of the day. The essays are to be in by May 1, and it is understood that there will be a vigorous competition.

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### PLEASANT RELATION BETWEEN CHURCHES AND COLLEGE

It is a very pleasant relation that is growing up between the churches and the college through the clerical members of its faculty. They are often called upon, in the absence of pastors or during vacancies, to occupy the pulpits of churches that are not too re-

mote, much to the enjoyment of the professors, and we hope somewhat to the profit of the hearers. With our present train service points quite distant are reached, and delightful acquaintance is widely gained. The College is only too glad to be helpful in every possible way to the churches of our own and other denominations; we desire to make the tie a strong and close one, and to cause the churches to feel that we seek not only their support in maintaining the College, but also the privilege of aiding them in their work.

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### COME AND SEE

If any one ever raises any question as to the wisdom of the location of Whitworth College we invite him to come out and look around during this glorious weather. It simply can't be beaten. There's an education in itself to a young person in passing through a springtime here on Whitworth Heights.

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In a communication from Rev. T. Davis Acheson, financial secretary; he says: Thoughtful people are realizing the fact that the Christian college must be maintained in order that the church may be properly equipped to obey the marching orders of our Lord.

The pastors and sessions are opening up their churches and preparing the way for the college to enter through its representatives. Every day finds new friends joining us with their sympathy and their gifts. Many parents are looking to us to assist them in solving the problem of a safe place where their



children may receive first class opportunities with healthful and pure environment.

Our friends encourage us on the high moral tone and intellectual progress of our student body. The true college spirit is seen on every hand. The harmony of the faculty, the fine fellowship among the students, the deep interest manifested in study, and above all, the high ideal of fairness, honor and righteousness pervades every nook and corner of the premises. It all speaks louder than words and remains with us as a benediction and will follow those who leave our college halls on down through the years.

How much have you subscribed towards the Endowment?

### WHAT DO YOU THINK WE NEED!

Many an institution such as ours finds it necessary to equip and maintain at considerable expense an infirmary—and it is doubtless a fine thing to have. We would not object if some kind friend should give us one. Yet there are other things far more needed that we could suggest. In fact, it is hard to see how we could keep an infirmary in use. Serious illness is almost unknown among us—barring one or two students we could hardly have a better health record than that of this college year. So if any one is meditating such a gift, we might hint that books, apparatus, heating plant—well, quite a list could be furnished on application of improvements more needed than an infirmary.

### LORD STANLEY SAYS

"As work is our life show me what you can do and I will show you what you are."

Power belongs only to the workers; the idlers are always powerless.

It is the laborious and painstaking men who are the rulers of the world.

The following is an extract taken from the report of the Committee on Visitation of Colleges, presented by Dr. M. B. Loughlen and adopted by the Synod of Washington at the October meeting.

"From six years' residence in Tacoma, most of which time I have had daughters in Whitworth College, my knowledge of the college is somewhat familiar, but I was happily astonished last Monday by the transformation in the character of the student body. Discipline seemed unnecessary. By some mysterious influence the present college management has infused into the students a dignity of demeanor that thrives on noble sentiments. In the chapel exercises the attitude was reverently earnest. In the class room there was studious attention that indicated the most conscientious seriousness. In the dining room the decorum was perfect. It could not be better in the best regulated homes. In fact the best homes of our Synod are represented in Whitworth College."

"No man," said Sir Benjamin Rudyard, "is bound to be rich or great—no nor to be wise; but every man is bound to be honest."